'RICHMOND TAKES WARMLY TO "FIVE OPPORTUNITIES

Citizens in Every Walk of Life Send Checks and Money for

Worthy Cause. NEW AVENUE FOR CHARITY

Social Workers Recognize in Relief Plan Inaugurated by The Times-Dispatch Valuable Addition to Constructive Charitable Endeavor.

Richmond is recognizing with liberal generous giving the "five oppor-tunities" offered by The Times-Dis-patch. The response to the appeal has been prompt; the contributors range from those who can give much-and save done so-to those who can give

have done so—to those who can give little, but have not on this account withheld a helping hand.

That is exactly as The Times-Disjatch and the Associated Charities would have it. It is hoped and designed that these Five Opportunities shall become a permanent institution of the Christmas season in Richmond. So far as possible, it is desired to make response to the needs thus presented. They are opportunities in the best sense.

TRAINED SOCIAL WORKERS

APPROVE NOVEL PLAN The interest that has been shown and that continues to be shown has carried marked encouragement to ev-er) one connected with the movement. In the opinion of trained workers in the social service field it reveals new possibilities of constructive charitable endeavor here in Richmond. Contribu-tions to the Five Opportunities will not be expended on Christmas Day, but the funds so collected will be dis-tributed over a year. The Opportuni-ties represent an effort at human conservation—the conservation of life, the conservation of the family, the conservation of strength, the conservation of conscience, the conservation of hap-

In offices in the business section and some of the stores collections are being taken up among the employees for one or another or all of the Oppor-tunities. The Ginter Park Woman's Clut gave a concert on Tuesday even-ing for the benefit of the fund, and this example probably will be followed by other organizations.

The thought underlying the Five Opportunities has appealed almost uni-

versally.

In one respect, at least, these particular Opportunities are not different from others. They are fleeting. The funds needed are being subscribed rapidly. One, at least, is likely to be closed to-day. Those who would grasp the Opportunity that most appeals to them must act promptly.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL FILES ANNUAL REPORT

Nearly 200 Inquiries Received Each Month by John Garland Pollard's Office.

The annual report of the Attorney-General on the status of cases in court in which the Commonwealth of Virginia is a party was submitted to Governor Stuart yesterday by John Garland Pol-lard. The report covers all cases pend-

Among the cases in which the At-

torney-General approved in the United States Supreme Court were the following: Virginia vs. West Virginia, the famous debt case: Dalton Adding Machine Company vs. State Corporation Commission; C. J. Rixey, an insanc person, by C. J. Rixey, Jr., vs. Robert H. Cox, city sergeant of Alexandria; J. G. Davis vs. Commonwealth of Virginia

FOR HOPEWELL RELIEF

Contributions of Clothing, Food and Money Continue to Come to The Times-Dispatch.

season of giving, and the public is making a generous response to the appeal for aid for the hundreds of sufferers in the fire-stricken city.

A check for \$1 came yesterday from Mrs. H. M. Grattan, who lives in faraway Alabama. Others, whose names are unknown, sent meal, sugar and other provisions. Among the contributions was a big barrel, filled, presumably, with clothing and things to cat. The money donations to date amount to \$317.75. to \$317.75.

The supplies will be forwarded to Hopewell on the first train this morn-

Charged With Liquor Selling.

Annie Robinson, the negro woman arrested twice last Sunday on charges of selling liquor without a license, was fined \$100 and placed under \$500 socurity for twelve months in each of the cases yesterday.

The case against William Jones, col-

ored, arrested by Policeman Bertucel on a similar charge, was dismissed.

Accused of Recklessness

John H. Smith, colored, was arrested by Policemen Galbraith and Whis last night on a charge of recklessiy driving a delivery wagon through the streets.

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Five Opportunities

THE TIMES-DISPATCH offers to its renders the opportunity of assisting at this time in the relief of the following live cases, which have been investigated and found worthy:

OPPORTUNITY No. 1. Nurse who has helped others, and who is now asking assistance for herself. Her health is broken and she is without income. Amount needed, \$180.

Contributions received yesterday Stunrt C. Leake. \$ 3 00 X. X. 1 00 Lindsey McMinn. 2 00 Cash 1 1 00
Mrs. John L. Eutank 5 00
K. I. V. and R. N. 2 06
Previously acknowledged 43 75

OPPORTUNITY No. 2. OPPORTUNITY No. 2.
Widow with six children to enrefor. She asks only that aid be given her so that she may not be separated from her loved ones. Her oldest child is but thirteen. He is too young to work, though he would if he could. For this family \$200 is required.

Contributions received yesterday: Mrs. D. T. Sutherland Cach John L. Eubank 5 66 1 1 W B 2 60 1 1 W B 2 60 50 50

OPPORTUNITY No. 2 Described woman with three children asks aid, that she may keep her family with her. She will need help only until that time when the children will be able to support her. She can be assisted with \$144.

Contributions received yesterday:

Contributed to date.... 176 00

HOPEWELL THREATENED

Blaze Starts in Greek Restaurant, but Is Extinguished by Auto Chemteal Engine.

lard. The report covers all cases pendong on November 1.

The report shows also that the Attorney-General has an average of 186
inquiries through the mails each month
from various States officers concerning
public business, many of which require
considerable time and research to anender of the state of the sta

The fire started shortly after 2 o'clock in a Greek restaurant on Cawson Street, just a few yards from Hopewell Street, and was caused by a gasoline explosion. A boy in the restaurant, in filling a tank used for supplying light for the building spilled some of the gasoline on the floor.

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up the blazing tank and threw it into the street through an open window. However, the building had caught from Contributions for the relief of the ridy at Hopewell continue to pour into The Times-Dispatch. It is the season of giving, and the public is making a generous response to the appeal for aid for the hundreds of sufferers in the fire-stricken city.

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case of liquor or drug add'ction and guarantee a cure in from ten days to three weeks, according to physical condition of patient. You don't pay us a penny until you know that you are cured. We administer the original Devine treatment, which is the last vord that science has to offer for the cure of these diseases.

Dr. H. L. Devine Sanitarium

OPPORTUNITY No. 4. Confederate soldier who fought through the War Between the States and wishes never to be separated from his wife. For the veteran and his wire \$120 will be sufficient.

Contributions received yesterday:

OPPORTUNITY No. 5.

A man is dying of tuberculosis. He has a wife and four children. He can no longer contribute to their support. He is in need of medical freatment, and he would like aid so that he may not be separated from those whom he holds most dear. For him and his family \$300 is needed.

Contributions received yesterday: Cash
Jefferson Hotel Barber Shop
Miss L. H. A.
Mrs. Waiter Blair
M. A. Martin
A subscriber.
Cash Philip E. W. Goodwin. E. and M. A. sympathizer.....

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allowed the firemen to work without WITH ANOTHER FIRE Interference. After the fire had been practically

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HOPEWELL, VA., December 15.—Fire yesterday afternoon threatened for a few minutes to destroy what remained of Hopewell after the disastrous fire of

Commission; C. J. Rixey, an insane person, by C. J. Rixey, Jr., vs. Robert H. Cox, city sergeant of Alexandria; J. G. Davis vs. Commonwealth of Virginia, and Commonwealth of Virginia vs. J. P. Morgan.

The Attorney-General also represented the State in a large number of cases in the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, the United States District Court and in the Circuit and Chancery Courts.

Building spilled some of the gasoline and the gasoline on the ficor.

Several people were in the building at the building at the time, and some one in lighting a cigarette carelessly threw the lighted in the pool of gasoline. This immediately flared up, and the tank exploded, sending flames along the entire rear of the building. Persons in the restaurant rushed out, shouting that the place was on fire and creating great excitement. Practically everything in the building was quickly removed, and occupants of the adjoining structures carried their belongings to places of

safety.

The owner of the restaurant picked

A detachment of the Petersburg Grays, who are in control of the guncotton city, kept back the crowd, and

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY TICKETS

Via Norfolk and Western Railway. On sale December 17 to 25, inclusive good for return passage until January 10, 1916, 33.45 Norfolk and return 55.05 Lynchburg and return. Correspondingly low rates to other points.

Who retired from the bar in 1911, account ill health, is resuming practice of the law, and is a member of the firm, GARDNER & GOODWYN, 621, 622 American Nat'l Bank Bldg.

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lighland Park, Richmond, Va.

Her of Hopewell



ADAM DRUMM.

CARNEGIE MEDAL WANTED

Well-Organized Movement Is Under Way to Secure Recognition for Young Adam Drumm.

SAVES LIVES OF TWO CHILDREN

Rushing Into Burning Buildings, Risking His Own Life, He Brings Babies Back to Mothers—He Is a Times-Dispatch "Newsy."

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] HOPEWELL, VA., December 15 .- A well-organized movement is on foot here to secure for Adam Drumm, the After the fire had been practically here to secure for Adam from the extinguished a fireman was cutting a beleven-year-old "Hero of the Hope-hole in the metal side of the building, the frame of which was still standing, well fire," a Carnegie hero medal, for his bravery in rescuing two babies from the flames.

L. Fleet, who formerly lived at 21 East Main Street, Richmond. The boy's mother and stepfather moved to

s a nephew of Mrs. Susie Davis, of

111 East Marshall Street, and of Sam WHISKY IS SEIZED

Powell, of Richmond.
The young here was standing in a lawyer's office, a block away, when the five broke out about 1.45 o'clock, in a Greek restaurant on Appomattox street. He rushed around to the scene.

Day's Yield to Search by Police and Militin 1s About 600 Gallons. street. He rushed around to the scene, and through curiosity entered the burning building. He passed a mother wringing her hands in the hallway of the second floor, and learned from her that her below was in a front room which was then in a blaze. Young brumm made a dash for the room and seizing the infant from the bed, ran to a window with it. He called to a window with it. He called to the crowd below to hold a blanket. The day passed off quietly excent for the crowd below to hold a blanket. The day passed off quietly except for and as they stretched it out for him these arrests.

To jump, he leaped down with the baby A large quantity of whisky was con-

room on the first floor and he made this way through the flames to it. He burg and River Roads, half-way bear from the building with the baby tween Petersburg and Hopewell, interacted turned it over to its mother, who had rushed from the building and was too frightened to return.

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FROM BLOCKADE RUNNERS

Gallons.

to jump, he leaped down with the baby in his arms. Both escaped injury. The mother's dress caught fire and she ran from the building.

The hero turned, after reaching the ground in safety, and ran into another building. This building was burning, and the flames leaped about his body as he dashed through the front door. He heard the screams of a child in a room on the first floor and he made though at the flames of a child in a room on the first floor and he made though at the flames of quietly except for these arrests.

A large quantity of whisky was confiscated late last night by Captain Mc-flewan, of the Richmond Blues, who, with a squad of soldiers, searched the suit cases of passengers arriving from Richmond on the Norfolk boat. About any packages carried by the blockade runners.

HOPEWELL CONFLAGRATION
NOT OF INCENDIARY ORIGIN

WASHINGTON, December 15.—Preliminary reports from Department of
Justice agents who investigated the recent conflagration at Hopewell, indicate that it was not the work of an
incendiary, and practically dispose of
the matter so far as the department is
concerned.

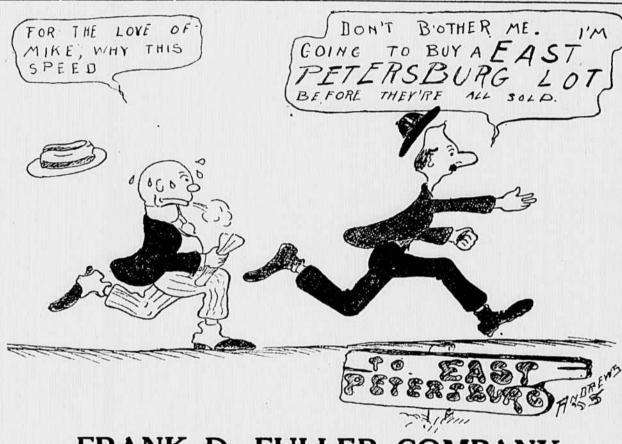
hicles.

Major E. W. Bowles, of the Richmobid Blues, and Chief-of-Police Sam
Cotton, arrested Clyde Williams, colored, late last night on a highway robbery charge, and to-day in Police Court
has taken to Richmond for safe keepinc late to-day by Officer Smith, of
the Hopewell police force, and lodged
in the Henrico County Jail.
Williams and another negro were

tighting when Major Bowles and Chief Cotton caught sight of him. The two attempted to run when Major Bowles attempted to arrest them, but they halted when ordered to do so by Major Bowles and Chief Cotton, who drew their revolvers.



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